News Review of Current Events the World Over

Franco-British Peace Plan Collapses and Hoare Resigns—Benes Elected President of Czechoslovakia—Christmas Pay for WPA Workers.

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IF IT really was intended to bring about peace between Italy and Ethiopia, the plan proposed by British Foreign Secretary Sir Samuel Hoare and Premier Laval of France turned out a dismal failure. The storm of opposition to the scheme which would give Mussolini two-thirds of the African country as a reward for stopping an attack that was denounced by the League of Nations, brought the British and French governments to the point of collapse. To

Sir Samuel Hoare

save the Baldwin cabinet, Hoare resigned on the eve of a parliamentary battle in the house of commons, and it was believed the government thus would be able to win a vote of confidence. Hoare was made the goat, for the entire ministry shared the responsibility of the peace plan.

In Paris Edouard Herriot, member of the cabinet without portfolio, resigned as spokesman of the powerful Radical Socialist party whose support is needed by Laval to maintain his majority in the parliament. Herriot's action, in the opinion of some observers, presaged Laval's early downfall.

Hoare's position became untenable when he learned that the peace plan was about to be buried at Geneva. Capt. Anthony Eden, probably never enthusiastic for it, practically repudiated the scheme in a public meeting of the league council. Laval also spoke, more reservedly, declaring that even if the plan were rejected, the council must continue to seek conciliation. After the session, however, he admitted to French newspaper men that the plan, for the time being at least, is dead.

The council received from Addis Ababa a note in which Emperor Haile Selassie bluntly accused Great Britain and France of having violated the league covenant by seeking "to impose upon Ethiopia a predominant control by Italy with the certain aim of entrusting to Italy the administration of the capital and a large part of the territory. The League of Nations in consenting to lend itself to such dissimulation would violate article X of the covenant."

In view of all the opposition and of Mussolini's hint that he would reject the proposals, the league council killed the plan entirely, softening its action by formally thanking Great Britain and France for their "preliminary efforts" toward peace. A permanent committee of 13 councilors—all but the Italian member—was named to study the Italo-Ethiopian crisis.

Dispatches from the front said a great battle was in progress in the Takkaze river sector and that the Italians, after repulsing a strong attack by the Ethiopians, were combatting with a vigorous counter-movement. A large force of natives was reported to be ambushed in a mountain pass, and the Italian officers declared few would escape. Losses on both sides were heavy.

WHEN Thomas Masaryk, founder of Czechoslovakia and president of the republic since its creation, resigned because he was eighty six years old and wearied by his labors, he recommended that the parliament elect as his successor Edvard Benes, who was Masaryk's co-worker for establishment of the republic and has been its only minister of foreign affairs. This advice was followed, Benes being chosen by a vote of 340 out

Eduard Benes

of 440 votes. There were 24 votes for Prof. Bohumil Nemec, leader of the pro-Fascists, and 76 abstentions. The Sokols, organization of sportsmen, and the war veterans, supported Benes unanimously, and his victory was hailed as a triumph for democracy.

A general reorganization of Czechoslovakia's diplomatic representation abroad will follow the election of the new president. Jan Masaryk, son of the former president, will be recalled from London to act as chief of Benes' chancellery. The minister in Washington, Dr. F. Veverka, is scheduled to move on to London.

Benes, who is fifty-one years old, has had a brilliant diplomatic career. One of the ablest strokes was the creation of the little entente, whereby Czechoslovakia, Jugo-Slavia and Rumania stand together in central Europe. He also achieved an alliance with France.

UNLESS Eugene Talmadge, the fiery governor of Georgia, changes his mind, the Democratic national convention isn't going to be the mere Roosevelt renomination love feast that administration supporters had intended it should be. Talmadge went to Washington and there boldly announced that he would be a candidate for the Presidential nomination. He declared the Democrats would lose the election if they put Roosevelt at the head of their ticket again, and denounced the President as an "usurper" in the party.

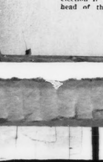
The governor also announced that a convention of the "southern Jeffersonian Democracy" would be held in Atlanta the last week in January for the purpose of formulating a program to battle the New Deal and President Roosevelt.

He added: "The southern and border states have 360 votes in the Democratic national convention. It takes but 267 votes to block the nomination of a President. We are going to bring a lot of delegates to that convention."

CLEVELAND is the place and June 9-9 the date selected for the Republican national convention of 1936. The national committee heard arguments on behalf of Chicago, Kansas City and Cleveland, and then decided on the Ohio city, largely for political reasons. Gov. Alf Landon of Kansas and Col. Frank Knox of Chicago both being potential candidates for the nomination. It was thought wise to hold the convention in neutral territory. Ralph E. Williams of Oregon, vice chairman of the committee, was made chairman of the committee on arrangements. Delegates to the convention will number 967, or 157 fewer than in 1932.

The national committee concluded its session with an invitation to conservative Democrats to join with the Republicans in the effort to oust the Roosevelt administration.

FRANK C. WALKER, one of President Roosevelt's strongest supporters, has resigned as executive director of the national emergency council. He will retire to private life, but it is understood he will return to the service of the government as soon as his personal affairs permit. This is taken to mean that he will be appointed postmaster general when James A. Farley relinquishes that post to take over the President's re-election cam-



F. C. Walker

paign, probably in the new year.

Lyle C. Anderson, who has been solicitor for the NEC since last May, was named to succeed Walker and is already in charge of the council. In his letter of resignation to the President Walker said that he regretted that some of the men in business and industry were impatient with the New Deal recovery programs but expressed himself certain the great body of the country was wholeheartedly behind the President.

WORKS Progress Administrator Harry Hopkins issued an order that made happy about 3,500,000 workers under his unit.

The order that every regular WPA pay check earned be in the hands of the workers by Dec. 24," Hopkins said, in telegraphed instructions to state program directors. "The law does not permit advance payments, and no check should be spared to deliver checks due by Christmas eve.

"Overtime work by administrative employees handling pay rolls should be reduced to a minimum and courtesy service should be arranged if necessary to overcome delays that have always caused by congestion in the mails."

President Roosevelt entered on a new round of conferences on the relief program to be provided for in the budget for the fiscal year beginning next July 1. New Deal officials associated with relief were summoned to the White House to offer suggestions for keeping the relief program down so that the administration can point to budget balancing efforts in the 1936 campaign.

Plans for organizing the Civilian Conservation corps on a similar but permanent basis were discussed with Robert Fechner, CCC director, and a group of cabinet officers.

CALEB J. MILNE IV of Philadelphia, a young heir to a textile fortune, who was abducted for ransom, was found bound and gagged five miles from Buckingham, Pa., where he had been thrown from an automobile. It was reported that relatives had paid $25,000 for his release. Milne was too weak from hunger and exposure to tell a connected story when found. Department of Justice agents were on the trail of the kidnapers and it was believed the gang would soon be rounded up.

POPE PIUS conferred red hats on thirteen new cardinals in a public consistory at St. Peter's in Vatican City. Four others received their red hats at their nunciatures. These are to try bring the sacred college to within two of its full numerical strength for the first time in many years.

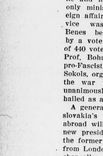
THE board of directors of the Knights of Columbus made a tart reply to President Roosevelt in their dispute over our government's position in respect to the alleged religious persecution in Mexico. It concluded with the assertion that Mr. Roosevelt was responsible for the government's failure to follow a long line of precedents "founded upon established American principle."

DESPITE the riotous opposition of students and other youth of Peiping, the Hopei-Chahar political council, supported by Japan, took over the affairs of the autonomous North China provinces, with Gen. Sung Cheh-yuan as its chairman. That gentleman in his first official announcement declared the opposition demonstrations were being promoted by communists, against whom he would take drastic action.

General Sung said he would do his best to promote good relations with neighboring countries "which treat us with equality and reciprocity" (Japan and Manchukuo). He declared his intention to "revive China's traditional virtues, and to develop and spread oriental culture."

JAMES A. REED, former senator from Missouri and long one of the more prominent Democrats, is another who will not support Franklin D. Roosevelt for re-election. He said in Cedar Rapids, Iowa, that if the President were renominated he was prepared to vote for the Republican nominee provided the latter is pledged to stand by the Constitution and American fundamentals.

DICTATOR of Venezuela for twenty-seven years, during most of the time president of the country, Gen. Juan Vicente Gomez died in Caracas



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of an old malady at the age of seventy-eight years. The cabinet named Gen. Eleazar Lopez Contreras, minister of war, as provisional president to hold office until his successor is elected by congress. While guns boomed in a salute, Gomez was buried on the anniversary of his assumption of power

in 1909. On that day he executed a coup d'etat by which he seized the government while President Cipriano Castro was in Europe seeking health. During his regime there were many incipient revolts but he crushed them all with an iron hand; and even when the presidential chair was occupied by others his control of the government was absolute.

Among Gomez's greatest contributions to Venezuela were the establishment of friendly relations with foreign nations and peace within the country, the building of a fine system of automobile highways, and development of natural resources.

He made the most of the great petroleum deposits at Lake Maracaibo, granting many concessions to foreign oil companies, but placing an export tax on oil. The industry in Venezuela grew until it now holds third rank in the world.

MC GILL university, the famous Montreal institution, announced a new president, Arthur Eustace Morgan of England, is enlisting in the youth movement. Twelve of its professors who are over sixty-five years of age have been informed that they must retire at the end of the present school year.

Resentment against the action was indicated. Prof. Stephen Leacock, head of the department of political economy, humorist, and writer, who was one of those affected by the retirement rule, made this terse statement:

"I have plenty to say about the government's action, but I have all eternity to say it in. I shall shoot it down to the mat."

IN A special election in Michigan's Third Congressional district Verner W. Main, Republican, was victorious over Edward Cavanagh, Democrat. Main is tentatively in favor of the Townsend plan but attributed his victory to opposition to the New Deal. The result was nothing much for the Republicans to crow over, for the district is normally heavily Republican.

THE eighth of the reciprocal trade agreements has been concluded with Honduras. It was signed at Tegucigalpa but must be ratified by the Honduran congress and confirmed by President Roosevelt. The agreement provides for duty reduction on 17 commodities exported by the United States to Honduras and assurance against increases on 20 others.

Among the concessions by Honduras on United States exports are reductions in duties on smoked hams, shoulders, bacon, and sausages, and on canned meats, except salted and corned beef, by from one-third to one half; reduction of the rate on butter by two-thirds; lowering the rate on evaporated milk by one-half and more on condensed and dried skimmed milk by one-third. Rates on dried fruit items are lowered by from one-third to three-fourths; on canned fruits, vegetables, and fish by from two-thirds to three-fourths. The rate on cotton shirts is cut 20 per cent and there are substantial reductions in rates on denim, cotton hosiery and other textile items.

PLUTARCO ELIAS CALLES, one-time "iron man" of Mexico, has returned there from his exile in California with the apparent intention of disputing the rule of the country with President Lazaro Cardenas. In order to prevent a military coup against the government, Cardenas dismissed Gen. Medina Veytia as chief of the military zone of the Valley of Mexico and Gen. Joaquin Amaro as director of the national military school. Both were among the supporters of Calles, as were five senators who were previously expelled on charges of rebellious and seditious activities.

The administration's next move was to oust four state governors.

SEEN and HEARD around the NATIONAL CAPITAL

By Carter Field

FAMOUS WASHINGTON CORRESPONDENT

Washington.—There is more unanimity—in private conversations among both Democrats and Republicans, New Dealers and reactionaries—that the silver policy of the United States government is weird than on any other controversial subject, probably.

There is not so much public criticism of it, for various reasons, mostly concerning the electoral votes of certain strategic western states.

But the truth is that no one explains it satisfactorily, probably because it is rather difficult for anyone to explain something he does not understand, and the only two persons credited with understanding the silver policy are President Roosevelt and Secretary of the Treasury Morgenthau. Neither of them does any talking, if one excepts the occasional retort of Morgenthau that he is "still buying silver" and the verbatim cut the administrates of the silver law."

The most intelligent theory as to the actions of the administration runs something like this:

First, it was forced on the administration. Had it not been accepted, the probability is that congress would have rushed through some other inflation measure. It is not impossible that congress might have forced the use of printing press money to finance governmental needs, and pay the national debt, as many advocated.

Second, having accepted the silver law, the idea of a tremendous profit to the treasury developed in the minds of Roosevelt and Morgenthau. They had just made a profit in gold for the treasury of something like two billion, eight hundred million dollars. Incidentally six hundred million is still in the treasury, and two billion was converted into the famous but mysterious equalization fund, about which, like the silver policy, nobody knows anything except Roosevelt and Morgenthau, and they won't tell.

Profit Looked Good

So the idea of making a profit on silver of about two billion, to be made by buying and commandeering silver cheap, and reselling it later—as gold was revalued—at a much higher price, was very appealing.

It is true that some of the letter writers have since changed their minds. A great many business men wanted some form of NRA restored while prices were still low. They wanted some form of government protection against dumping. Now that prices are rising, the danger to their industry with interests is not so frightening. So they would like to get rid of government interference and superdirection, now that they no longer need, as they see it, its protection.

Hoover Vs. Borah

Will Herbert Hoover's strength at the Republican national convention be sufficient to stop William E. Borah's nomination if the Idaho Lion gets going good?

That question is being asked in many political circles, both Democratic and Republican, since the recent radio talks of the ex-president to a group of the American house of lords. Particularly since, in preaching the "doctrine of liberty against the doctrine of security," he goes right to the heart of the problem which is the chief concern of every Republican anxious to get his own party in power, and to get Franklin D. Roosevelt out. To a large number of what to offer the farm belt in the way of agricultural AAA farm benefits and processing taxes.

As a matter of fact, up until that time you could not find a Republican in Washington who really believed Senator Borah had a chance for the nomination. This was true despite the paucity of available timber for the job. Republicans knew that the fact that Borah has been pounding away at the silver question for years, beginning with that of Robert H. Lucas many months ago.

Borah's wrath was simply set aside for two reasons. One was his age. He will be seventy-one on June 29, next, just after the convention adjourns. The other was the strong group of individuals high in Republican ranks who object vigorously to his nomination.

Herbert Hoover is a man who has the head and front of this group, but it is very large, and important. The opposition of those opposed to Borah is based on two things. Borah's political and economic philosophy, and what they call his "undependability."

A very prominent magazine editor has told many Republican leaders of his own negotiations with Borah for a magazine article. He found the fees for the articles were to be huge. There was no limitation on what he could write about except to dictate policies Borah, the editor says,' was frankly attracted by the money and the opportunity to reach such a vast audience so easily. But he reluctantly declined the offer.

His explanation is the whole point. One article can be all right. Two might be right. But over such a period of time as was involved, he was likely to change his views so radically that the later articles might contradict the earlier!

It is this, rather than Borah's political philosophy, which today causes most of the opposition on the part of Republican leaders to Borah. It may happen that many of it em would swallow his economic views without gagging if they could depend upon him, once in power—on the theory that anything would be worth trying to be sure of throwing Roosevelt out.

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SYNOPSIS

...e future of the still youthful and ... "Widder" Marcia Howe, recently ... left by death from her ailing, self... husband, in a conversational tit-bit ... se housewives of the little hamlet ... Hilton. Eligible bachelors and wid... s also are interested. Marcia, de... her unfortunate matrimonial ex... Silas, finds pleasure in her life, but ... ghty at times, and has invited her ... husband's niece, Sylvia Hayden, ... she has never seen, to visit her. ... girl arrives and Marcia takes to ... at once, while Sylvia, expecting to ... a summertime sojourn, finds Mar... more like a sister. A stranger, on ... occasion, finds his way to Marcia's home.

CHAPTER III—Continued

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If their questions penetrated his ...ousness, the stranger slowly ...ed his eyes.

...ry to come here like this," he ...ured. "The fog was so thick, I ... my bearings and my power-boat ...ground. I've been trying hours ...et her off. She's hard and fast on ...sand-bar."

...e struggled to rise and Marcia, ...ling beside him, helped him into ...r position where he sat, leaning ...against her shoulder.

...seem to have brought in most ...he sea with me," he apologized, ...ling about in vague, half-dazed ...

"No matter. We're used to salt here," she answered. "How do you feel? You're not hurt?"

Only a little. Nothing much. I've ...something queer to my wrist. I ...trying to push the boat off, and ...nething suddenly gave way."

...ring his head aside, he bit his ...r in pain.

...ell telephone Doctor Stetson. ...ickie, you mustn't remain in ...wet clothes. There is no surer ...of catching cold. Do you think ...could get upstairs if Sylvia and ...od you?"

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...I will," smiled Marcia. ...is my pet hiding-place. ...the hearth is loose and ...plenty of space for this ...'ll tuck it in there. Just ...hall that I discovered pajamas and underwear. I hope you don't mind my taking them."

A shiver passed over Marcia.

"No. They were Jason's. I ought to have told you they were there. I kept them because I thought they might sometime be useful."

"Well, they certainly are," replied Sylvia. "They will exactly fit Mr. Heath. Where do you suppose he came from? And how long has he been knocking about in that boat, I wonder."

"How do I know, dear?" Marcia sighed, as if determined to control her patience. "You know as much about him as I do. I mean," she corrected, honesty forcing her to amend the assertion, "almost as much. I did, to be sure, talk with him a little while waiting for the doctor, but he did not tell me anything about himself."

The moving of chairs overhead and the sound of feet creaking down the stairway heralded the return of Jared Stetson and Elisha.

Marcia went to meet them.

"Tish't a broken wrist, Marcia," was the doctor's greeting on entering the kitchen. "Leastways, I don't think it is. I've bandaged it an' Lish an' me have your friend snug an' warm in bed. Tomorrow I'll look in again. For tonight, the bandage will do. A hot water-bottle mightn't be amiss. Nor a square meal, neither. Beyond them two things, there ain't much you can do at present, but let him sleep. Seems a nice sort of feller. Known him long?"

"Not so very long."

"Why, Marcia—" broke in Sylvia.

"One sometimes comes to know a person rather well, though, even in a short time," went on the older woman, ignoring the interruption.

"S'pose 'twas a-comin' to see you that brought him down this way," Elisha volunteered. "Somehow I don't recall meetin' him before."

"He hasn't been here before," was the measured response.

"Oh, so he's new to Wilton waters, eh? That prob'ly accounts for his runnin' aground. Fine lookin' chap. Has quite an air to him. Nothin' cheap 'bout his clothes neither. They was A1 quality clear through to his skin. Silk, with monograms on 'em. Must be a man of means."

Silence met this observation.

"Likely he is—havin' a power-boat an' leisure to cruise around in her," persisted the undaunted Elisha.

"I really couldn't say."

"Well, apparently he ain't one that boasts of his possessions, an' that's to his credit," interposed Jared Stetson good-humorously.

Elisha's interest in the stranger was not, however, to be so easily diverted.

"Seen the boat?" he inquired.

"No."

"Up to this point, as Marcia, with a sigh of relief, noted, Sylvia, the instant the door closed behind them, had remained silent. She had not even looked at Marcia's friend. It was as if she were afraid to trust herself to speak.

Now, Elisha, don't you run down Wilton. Why, I have twenty-five dollars in my purse this minute," she asserted, taking a worn pocket-book from her dress and slapping it with characteristic candor down upon the table. "I keep it in that china box above the stove."

"That might serve as a starter," remarked the stranger, regarding her quizzically.

She faced him, chin drawn in, and head held proudly.

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Blouses Gain New Fashion Heights

By CHERIE NICHOLAS

BLOUSES are stepping out of their one-time obscurity under a suit jacket and are appearing at gay social functions as costumes in their own right complete with slim skirts of silk satin, wool or silk velvet. Paradoxical as it sounds, tailored blouses have soft touches, while formal blouses have a rather tailored look, the fabric employing the proper glamor for the occasion.

The blouse of silk lame is a favorite for dressy afternoon wear, and those "little evenings" when your hostess says: "Don't dress." There are long-sleeved or short-sleeved models in allover patterned silk lames which glitter to your heart's content, or if you so choose you may have soft silks with just a suggestion of metal in interwoven or embroidered motifs.

The shirtwaist or jacket type of blouse of scintillating lame is prominent, flaunting with long rows of self-covered buttons, rhinestone studs set on a fancy lace, with elaborate frogs of self-fabric. A typical model of each is here illustrated. Huge frogs of self-fabric trim the jacket blouse as pictured at the top in the group. White pearl and metallic is a world-wide modern fashion it. The sleeves are full to the elbow. A tiny turn-down collar of self fabric finishes the neckline.

The other metallic blouse shown is of gold silk lame. It is a glittering little affair which can be worn for formal afternoons or "little" evenings. Its brief sleeves are puffed. The closely placed buttons are of self fabric, while pearl bows accent the neckline and waistline. It is a Lanvin model. Very new looking, too, are sleeveless silk lame blouses with caped armholes and shirred or draped bodices after the Molyneux tradition.

Blouses worn without suits under fox or mink capes for theater, night clubs or the cinema are smartly new. They are worn without hats or with absurd little evening hats that are mere tweiss or dabs of silk tulle, silk lame or silk velvet.

For luncheon in a swank restaurant, for afternoon tea, there is nothing more flattering than a blouse of delectable silk satin, softly draped or shirred at the shoulders, with a new version of the high cowl neckline after the manner of the Schiaparelli model illustrated to the left below. This stunning silk satin blouse is in Kelly green.

The sheer silk blouse, new this season, is attracting favorable attention. It can be worn with a dark woolen or tweed suit or as a separate costume with a contrasting skirt. Silk chiffon and silk georgettes are the featured fabrics; new embroidery is running around yokes or under necklines give such blouses softness and femininity.

The tailored blouse for sports wear or with a tailored suit is done in varied moods. There are youthful blouses of soft silk crepes in pastel colors, with simple club collars, and perky bows for trimming—correct for wear with plaid woolen skirts or with tweed suits. Then there are shirtwait blouses of delicate silk crepe de chine, with jabots and frills trimmed with fine lace, perfect to wear with a perfectly tailored suit.

Colors are new this season, too. Gold and silver vie for favor in metals. Strong blues and reds and greens are favorites in less formal blouses of metals and chiffons. The dusty pastels or strong vivid tones, both registering for tailored blouses. Of course classic white is as important as ever. It is the rule for the college girl's wardrobe and tutor accent for the ensemble, sounding the basic note of the costume, while a blouse in color lends just a mere costume accessory.

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BLACK AND WHITE IS SMART AS EVER

That the Parisian black and white is just as smart as it ever was is proven by the winter collection of Chanel, who trims with white touches almost as lavishly as in the summer collection. An outstanding is the sheer black wool, which looks like a silk crepe. The dress is in two pieces, with a shorter, straight skirt whose fullness comes from box pleats at the side seams. The top hat at the neck with a white band and crisp bow tie similar to that worn by a man. The long sleeves are full above the elbow, and have white wrist cuffs. The bow tie motif is repeated at the front of the belt.

Hats for Country Outfit

There is lots of choice for the hat which completes a country outfit. The suede or chamois can be matched in a beret trimmed with a tiny quantity that fastens under the chin, a large and blazing is the jewelry, which is a number of designers display for wear with the frocks of Persian and Egyptian patterns, the only one of two pieces can be worn at a time.

Vanity News

Clothes may make the man, but make-up makes the woman. Make the eyes as dramatic as possible. Keep eyebrows faint and unobtrusive. Use rouge lightly to leave the emphasis on the eyes.

"Rag-Rug" Tweeds

New wools called "rag-rug" tweeds are being shown in Paris. They are woven with bits of multi-colored fabric among the threads, to resemble rag rugs.

Full and Slim Silhouette Now Appear for Evening

Both the slim silhouette and the very full one appear in the evening mode. Mainbocher, the clever young man from Chicago, who has become one of the leading designers in Paris, favors slim frocks with all the fullness gathered in the back. For instance, a slim frock of black matelasse silk taffeta has a vast bustle that puffs out just below the low graceful V of the black decolletage. In contrast is a dress of satin black crepe done on very slim lines. The frock is worn with a black satin cape on which there are seven horizontal strips of monkey fur. A frock of purple-red and silver brocade has fulness only in the back. The fullness is held out with stiffened net.

Massive Jewelry

Bracelets and necklaces apparently have taken a tip from the barbaric splendor of Byzantine jewelry and appear in massive designs sometimes set with stones as large as bird's eggs. So large and blazing is the jewelry, which is a number of designers display for wear with the frocks of Persian and Egyptian patterns, the only one of two pieces can be worn at a time.

Black Supplants Pink

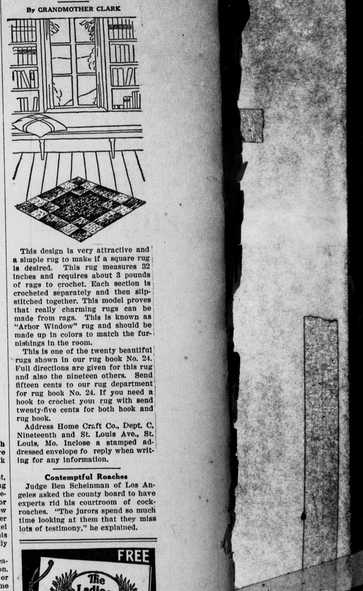
Black satin with a silvery brocade design, reputed to be scratchproof, is the latest material for foundation garments. On display in many Paris shops was a radical departure, white and flesh-colored undergarments. The newest are sleek, streamlined wisps of shimmering black satin and elastic.

Gold and Jewels

Day dresses this fall will be accented by embroideries, gold braiding, velvet trimming and jeweled ornaments

Attractive and Simple Rag Rug

By GRANDMOTHER CLARK



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